

## **Museum Outreach Program**

### ***Have Rocks - Will Travel***

***Exclusively for classrooms throughout Arizona***

Arizona Mining and Mineral Museum's  
State-Wide classroom Outreach Program  
Grades K - 8

Arizona is such a large state that many classes cannot travel the miles to visit our museum in Phoenix to take advantage of our exhibits and the educational presentations which are based on the AZ Science Standards and AZ Core Curriculum. Therefore, the Arizona Mining and Mineral Museum would like to bring its grade-appropriate statewide Outreach Classroom Series to your classroom if your school is located in a school district outside of Maricopa County.

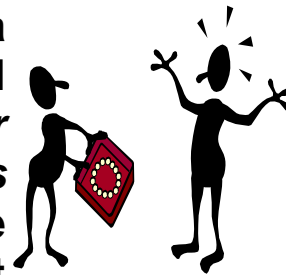


***Call 602 771-1611 or 800 446-4259 on Thursday and Friday from 12 - 4 pm and ask for Outreach Coordinator, Liz Anderson. She'll be happy to give you details.***

These thoroughly enjoyable and fast-paced, classroom programs are presented to students studying our state's geology, mining, and mineral resources as mandated by the Arizona Department of Education's Core Curriculum and State Science Standards. The students discover some surprising practical uses of rocks and minerals, do some hands-on activities, and watch a short video. Presentations are made to no more than two classes at a time. Only three hour-long presentations per school visit can be scheduled. Each presentation includes the really fantastic Black Light Exhibit and the opportunity for the students to take a good look at our traveling mini-museum.



Each classroom teacher will receive a packet of information sheets. Each teacher will receive one of our justly acclaimed *Teacher Identification Kit of Arizona Rocks and Minerals* which has been assembled by volunteers at the Museum, and is therefore available without charge. This box is full of valuable printed information, an detailed identification guide and 46-48 samples of Arizona rocks and minerals.



Costs for presentations are as follows: \$50.00 per class plus a mileage fee. For 2007-2009 *there is funding available thanks to the generosity of The Phelps Dodge Foundation.*



Since 2005, the *Friends of the Arizona Mining and Mineral Museum* have been applying for program funding. For 2007-2008 a generous grant from the **Phelps Dodge Foundation** was received which enables far-flung classrooms located outside Central Maricopa County to waive the costs of the *Have Rocks Will Travel* presentations. No matter where in Arizona you are located, if you would like to book this program, there is a short **APPLICATION FORM** available on our website [www.mines.az.gov](http://www.mines.az.gov). Once funds are depleted, the cost will revert to the \$50.00 + mileage. Remember: no school is too small or too distant.

*Books and Kits from our Bibliography can be ordered for delivery on presentation day. Treasure Bags can be ordered in advance for each student (only \$2<sup>00</sup> ea) and will be delivered on the day of the presentation. The bags can be purchased by the student, the PTO or equivalent, or the school/district. Each drawstring Treasure Bag contains three rock and/or mineral specimens, a polished mystery stone, a post card of the museum, and a printed bookmark.*



***Have Rocks ~ Will Travel !***

